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Attention: Examiner Krishnan S. Menon

Re: U.S. Patent Application
 Inventors : Chaiya Chandavasu; Marino Xanthos; Kamalesh K.
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 Title : PREPARATION OF MICROPOROUS FILMS FROM
 IMMISCIBLE BLENDS VIA MELT PROCESSING
 AND STRETCHING
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Dear Examiner Menon:

With regard to tomorrow's conference at 1 pm concerning the above referenced patent application, this is to inform that we will be discussing how best to put the application in condition for allowance, including any claim modifications we can make, including seeking a clarification of the rejection, given the disagreement over the interpretation of the Srinivas reference.

With best regards,

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